



Ask Any Debutante

If it isn't much better to stay home from the foot-ball games, than not to be the last word in smartness. How can she possibly understand his explanation of the game "if her clothes are not comme il faut"? The overcoat is all important—first for the motor ride, and later when chill breezes sweep across the Bowl.

We have the very thing she wants—smart lines—stunning fabrics—big becoming collars—enough to make any debutante happy.

ROCKWELL & CO.
1108 Main St.

SOLDIER TO WED.

Arden Cottrell, 34, a soldier of Springfield, Mass., and Miss Frances Dougherty, 31, 573 Howard avenue, have procured a marriage license.

DIED.

HINCKLEY—In this city on Monday, Oct. 9, 1916, Frank C. Hinckley, Sr., aged 53 years, 8 months, 7 days.

Friends are invited to attend the funeral from George B. Potter's Mortuary rooms, No. 1133 Broad street, on Wednesday, Oct. 11th, at 2 p. m. Interment at Mountain Grove cemetery. Automobile cortege. G9 b*

WILCOXSON—In this city, Oct. 8, 1916, Mary E., widow of Charles O. Wilcoxson, aged 61 years, 6 months.

Friends are invited to attend the funeral at the residence of the sister, Mrs. Daniel G. Fitz Roy, No. 865 Noble avenue, on Wednesday, Oct. 11th, at 2:00 p. m. Interment at Lakeview cemetery. Automobile cortege. a*

KILBRIDE—In Newtown, Conn., Oct. 7, 1916, Edward Kilbride.

Friends are invited to attend the funeral from his late residence, Cemetery Avenue, on Tuesday morning, at 9 o'clock a. m., and from St. Rose's church, at 10 a. m. Interment, St. Rose's cemetery. a*

MOONEY—In this city, Saturday, Oct. 7, 1916, Margaret Mooney, formerly of Fairfield, Conn., beloved wife of James Mooney.

Friends are invited to attend the funeral from the undertaking parlors of M. J. Gannon, 1051 Broad street, on Tuesday, Oct. 10, at 8:30 a. m., and from Sacred Heart church at 9 o'clock. Burial at St. Augustine's cemetery. a*

McNAMARA—In this city, Sunday, Oct. 8, 1916, Mary, widow of John McNamara.

Friends are invited to attend the funeral from her late residence, No. 184 Lewis street, on Tuesday, Oct. 10, at 9:30 a. m., and from Sacred Heart church, where a solemn high mass of requiem will be offered for the repose of her soul at 10 o'clock. Burial at St. Michael's cemetery. a*

TO RENT—In West End 6 room flat, all improvements. Price \$30. Box 579. G9 s*

FOR SALE—10 room, 2 family house \$3500. \$500 cash. Box P.H. Tel. 7485. G9 s*

EXPERIENCED SALESLADIES WANTED—Apply to E. H. Dillon & Co., 1105 Main St. G9 b*

BOY WANTED—Apply to E. H. Dillon & Co., 1105 Main St. G9 b*

WANTED—Bright steady boy for store work. Good wages to start. Bradshaw Clothing Co., 1085 East Main St. G9 b*

WANTED—Competent typist. Apply in person. Educational Dept. Y. M. C. A., 833 Main St. a*

FOR SALE—Six room cottage in Stratfield section, \$2,000. D. R. Whitney, 83 Fairfield Ave. G9 s*

FOR SALE—A nice lot on Main St. near the hospital. A nice building low site in Stratford. D. R. Whitney, 83 Fairfield Ave. G9 s*

FOR SALE—A double house centrally located, a good investment, property not requiring much cash. D. R. Whitney, 83 Fairfield Ave. G9 s*

FOR SALE—A corner property 90x30 near Washington Park in East Bridgeport. Twelve room house, modern in every respect. Admirably arranged for the needs of a physician. Garage for two cars. D. R. Whitney, 83 Fairfield Ave. G9 s*

MEN—Are you "down and out"? No home, no friends, no money. Call and see Edgely Stewart, The Salvation Army Home, 247 Island Brook avenue. Good meals, clean beds, cash allowance to help you on your feet again, if you are willing to work. G9 d*

SLOVAK RESIDENTS SHOW ENTHUSIASM AT GREAT MEETING

Tremendous enthusiasm was shown yesterday by Slovak residents of Bridgeport, who gathered in St. John's society hall and St. John's Parish hall to hear the issues of the national campaign discussed. Edward Vazcy of Brooklyn, a member of the Democratic national committee, addressed the meeting and his remarks called forth great applause.

It is estimated nearly 3,000 persons attended the meeting, which was called for St. John's Society hall, but which early flowed over into the Parish hall. Mr. Vazcy, who is the only person of Slovak antecedents ever honored with a place on the national committee, was cheered fully five minutes by the crowd.

Mr. Vazcy discussed the issues of the day. John Prokop, president of the Slovak Citizens' club of Brooklyn, urged those who have not yet been made citizens to hasten and avail themselves of the opportunity to vote in the United States. Steven Organas, supreme secretary of the Free Eagle organization, talked on the merits of the eight hour law, and the effect a strike would have had on Bridgeport had not President Wilson acted promptly and effectively.

The speakers will make a tour of Ohio, West Virginia, New York, New Jersey and Delaware.

OBITUARY

VIOLA LEBODUX

Viola, the five year old daughter of Victor and Della Lebodux of 55 Orange street, died yesterday at the Bridgeport hospital following an illness with acute Bright's disease.

The funeral was held from the home of her parents at 2 o'clock this afternoon and burial was in St. Michael's cemetery.

CHARLES DAVIES

The funeral of Charles Davies of Merwin's Beach, Woodmont, who died suddenly while at work in the Union Metallic Cartridge Co., was held from the undertaking parlors of Hawley & Wilmut at 2:30 this afternoon. Rev. Robert E. Beach, assistant pastor of the First M. E. Church conducted the services. Burial was in Lakeview cemetery.

ERNEST HOLDEN

The funeral of Ernest Holden of Devon, who died at the home of his sister in South Norwalk, was held from the mortuary chapel of Henry E. Bishop at 2 o'clock this afternoon. Rev. John G. Sadtler, pastor of Christ Episcopal church, conducted the services. A delegation was present from the Carpenters' Union, No. 115. Burial was in Lakeview cemetery.

FRANK C. HINCKLEY

Frank C. Hinckley, an engineer by occupation, residing at 115 Bell street, died this morning in the isolation hospital following a lengthy illness. Mr. Hinckley was 58 years old. He is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Thomas Lynch, with whom he resided, a son, Frank C. Hinckley, a sister, Mrs. Ella Baker and two brothers, Homer Hinckley of this city and John Hinckley of Stepey. Five grandchildren also survive him.

HANNAH BARROWS

Hannah, widow of George Barrows, of Nichols street, died at St. Vincent's hospital last night, following a brief illness with oedema of the lungs. Mrs. Barrows was born in England, 73 years ago, but had lived in Bridgeport for the last 25 years. She is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Watmough of Stratford avenue, and two sons, Edward Metcalf and George Barrows. The funeral will be held from the undertaking parlors of H. A. Remington, 459 East Main street.

MARY E. WILCOXSON

Mary E., widow of Charles O. Wilcoxson of Springfield, Mass., died at the home of her sister, Mrs. Daniel E. FitzRoy, 865 Noble avenue, yesterday, after a long illness. Mrs. Wilcoxson was visiting her sister when her illness became so serious as to cause her death. She was 61 years old and was a member of the First Congregational church of Springfield, and the Morning Star Rebekah lodge, I. O. O. F., of Springfield. She is survived by a son, Charles H. Wilcoxson of Springfield and three grandchildren, also of that city.

CATHERINE NAEDELE

The funeral of Catherine C., wife of Charles F. Naebele, was largely attended from her late home, 73 Sixth street, at 8:30 this morning and a half hour later from St. Mary's church where the Rev. John J. Conway sang the requiem high mass. The choir sang "There is a Day." As the body was being borne from the church, Mrs. Naebele and Mr. Naebele rendered "Nearer My God to Thee." A delegation was present from the Eastern Star lodge, Shepherds of Bethlehem. The bearers: Ezra Berry, James Johnson, Joseph Weber, John E. and Edward Lyddy and Walter Willis. Burial was in St. Michael's cemetery.

MARY McNAMARA

After a quarter of a century's residence in the South End, during which she enjoyed the friendship and respect of many persons, Mary McNamara, widow of John McNamara, died yesterday morning at her home, 184 Lewis street. She had been ill a long time, and her death was not unexpected. The oppression of her long family's bereavement was somewhat assuaged today when the numerous friends of the deceased united in expressing the sense of loss, which they share with the children of the deceased, George McNamara, a West End Merchant, Frank J., proprietor of the Ivy Hotel at Fairfield Beach, and William J., a chauffeur; Elizabeth and Mary McNamara, clerks, survive. Mrs. McNamara had lived in this city 32 years and more than 25 at the Lewis street address, where her daughters reside. Her funeral will be held at 8:30 from the home tomorrow morning, and interment will be in the cemetery. The funeral will be held at 8:30 from the home tomorrow morning, and interment will be in the cemetery. The funeral will be held at 8:30 from the home tomorrow morning, and interment will be in the cemetery.

FIRE BOARD TO MEET.

The board of fire commissioners will meet at 7:30 tomorrow evening at fire headquarters in the Court Exchange building. Instead of Wednesday evening the regular meeting. Only routine business is to come before the commission.

CARD OF THANKS

We desire to express our sincere thanks to friends and neighbors for kindness shown in our late bereavement in the loss of our daughter Vera M. Bray. We also wish to thank all friends for floral tokens sent. MR. and MRS. EDWIN BRAY.

HOUSING CO.'S MANAGER GIVEN A TESTIMONIAL

Guest of Honor at Banquet of Ashcroft and Safety Valve Co. Employees.

Frederick C. Blanchard, general manager of the Bridgeport Housing Co., was honored and surprised by nearly 150 of his former associates of the Ashcroft Manufacturing Co. and the Consolidated Safety Valve Co., at a banquet held in The Stratfield last Saturday night.

Mr. Blanchard is today wearing a handsome gold watch, the second presented to him in the course of his 20 years service as head of the Port Wayne Electric Co. and the Ashcroft Manufacturing Co., of which he was manager until last July.

The esteem in which Mr. Blanchard was held in this city was amply testified by the number of diners from the management to the humblest worker of the company, who contributed to and attended the dinner Saturday night.

An elaborate menu served in the ballroom of the hotel, S. F. Cone, chairman of the arrangement committee, including C. H. Graesser, present manager of the Ashcroft Manufacturing Co., E. B. Crocker, W. R. Stroud, C. H. Snyder, W. D. Grey, S. E. Winslow and W. C. Twombly, suddenly



FREDERICK C. BLANCHARD.

arose and in this tribute to the personality, ability and friendship of Mr. Blanchard presented him with the watch.

"Mr. Blanchard, for 10 years you have been associated with us. To-night we have gathered here with the common purpose of expressing the appreciation which these 10 years of contact have created.

"It is not alone that we have admired and respected your judgment and ability as a manager but those of us who have had occasion to come in close contact with you have felt the inspiration of your personality and exceptional qualities as a man; and we all have appreciated the harmonious atmosphere which your patience and tact has created.

"This evening, beneath the congenial emotion of the present hour and the pleasant visions of the past, there is an undercurrent of sadness as we realize you are no longer associated with us. To me has been granted the privilege of attempting to express the motives which have brought us here.

"I came here," said Mr. Blanchard, "in 1906. I think some of the men of the Ashcroft Manufacturing Co. had the idea that with a new manager sweeping changes in the forces would be effected. That certainly did not materialize.

"Only two men lost their positions under Mr. Blanchard's rule and those men because they had hidden plans of the company which they believed would make them indispensable to the company and permit them freedom from labor, which their scheme did not justify.

"High credit for the loyalty of the men working under him in the Ashcroft Manufacturing Co. was paid in these words:

"In preparing statistics for the benefit of one of the national associations of the number of men on the pay rolls of a number of our factories here with reference to the actual hours worked by the men. The Ashcroft Manufacturing Co. and the Consolidated Safety Valve Co. had the highest percentage of attendance of any organization in Bridgeport. This is highly creditable to you men who have always been keenly alive to your work."

"But no words could so well express our sentiments as the mere assembling of men who, because of the prompting of their own feelings, have gathered here to do you honor and render to you a remembrance of their good will."

Mr. Cone presented the watch of heavy gold, which bears this inscription within the case:

"Presented to Frederick C. Blanchard by his former associates in the Ashcroft Manufacturing Co. and the Consolidated Safety Valve Co.—Bridgeport, Conn., October 7, 1916."

Though greatly affected, Mr. Blanchard arose amidst prolonged cheering and after expressing his deep gratitude to Mr. Cone, whom he addressed in person continued by saying to all that the incident was the most gratifying that had occurred in his lifetime and one he would treasure both in memory and in reality by carrying with him.

Detailing the fact that when Mr. Blanchard left on his vacation in July he had no knowledge that before his return he would be associated elsewhere, he assured all present that his retirement from the Ashcroft Manufacturing Co. would mean no change of personnel and pleaded that the men retain the same spirit of organization under new management that had been maintained under his supervision.

The speaker also told of having a similar experience in the presentation of a watch when he left the Port Wayne Electric Co. Though long cherished for its association with four years of work there, the new gift will take precedence not alone from 10 years of association here but because of the close relation he has had with the larger number of employees.

HOWLAND'S

Entrances in Main street, Fairfield avenue and Cannon street

Bridgeport, Conn.,
Monday, Oct. 9.

Weather: Showers and cooler to night; Tuesday partly cloudy; colder.



AN AUTUMN SALE OF Housewares



A sale that combines saving of money with saving of time and work.

A sale that brings dozens of utensils to make daily housework easier;—each at less than usual price.

A sale that offers pretty furnishings for the home—at a saving.

Handsome glass

Cut glass in new combinations of cutting; good weight and with brilliancy:—

water sets—\$6.50
8-inch bowls—\$3
fern dishes—\$2.50
mayonnaise sets—\$2
sugar and cream sets—\$2.50
celery trays—\$2
vases—\$2
bon-bon dishes—\$1
Engraved glassware in tasteful new designs:—

8-inch bowls
sugar and cream sets
7-inch bowls
celery trays
comports
Jelly glasses with tin covers—20c
Jelly moulds with tin covers—35c

EZ Atlas jars, quart—45c doz
Ideal Sugar Seal jars, pints and quarts—40c doz
Economy jars—pints, 30c doz; quarts, \$1 doz
Decorated vases, pretty patterns—75c
Water sets with initial in Old English style, 6 glass and 3-pint pitcher—\$1.

Crockery

Haviland dinner sets of 100 pieces, floral pattern, pink and green—\$22.50
Dinner sets of 100 pieces, floral spray pattern—\$22.50
Tea cups and saucers in 4 good patterns—9c

Teapots, brown and white—21c
Japanese china celery sets and cheese-and-cracker dishes, hand decorated—\$1
China salt and pepper shakers with Old English initial—9c
Bread and butter plates, hand painted in good patterns—10c and 15c

White enamelware

Spotless and sanitary and attractive. Preserving kettles—70c
Covered kettles—70c
Tea kettles—70c
Berlin saucepans—50c
Double boilers—75c
Coffee pots—50c
Dish pans, round—50c and 65c
Oval dishpans—75c

Galvanized ware

Extra-heavy garbage cans—\$2.35
Garbage cans of medium weight and size—\$1
Rotary ash sifters, complete with can—\$3.50
Corrugated ash cans, very strong—\$1.35
Ash sifters, rotary, \$2.35
Heavy coal scuttles—39c
Sherwood dish drainers, great savers of time, 45c

Aluminum ware

Saucepan sets, 3 pieces—\$1
Double boilers, 2 qt.—\$1
Omelet pans—90c
Tea kettles, 6 quarts—\$1.95
Coffee percolators—\$1
Colanders—75c
Heavy skillets—\$1
Preserving kettles—50c
Wearer saucepans—59c

Clothes wringers

Single board, guaranteed for 1 year.—\$2.65 and \$3.10
Wringers with 3 year guarantee—\$3.65
5-year guaranteed wringers—\$4.75
Reversible double-board wringers guaranteed, \$4.35 and \$5.25

Needfuls

Food choppers, 4 knives—\$5c
Japanned cereal and spice sets, 12 pcs—50c
Small iron skillets—18c
Coaster sets, tray and 6 coasters—65c
Coasters, several patterns—5c
Gray enameled 2-qt rice boilers—65c

Spice sets, 6 jar and container—25c
Potato ricers—29c
Bissell carpet sweepers—\$1.75
Family scales, weigh to 24 pounds—\$1.05
Folding lunch boxes—8c

Mrs. Potts sad irons, 3 irons with handle and stand—90c
Canvas clothespin bag with 5 dozen pins—15c
Preserving kettles, gray enamelware—39c
Furnace shovels, long or short handle—65c

Nickel copper tea-kettles, not perfect but guaranteed not to leak, 5 sizes—\$1
White bread boxes—60c
Roll-top bread and cake boxes—\$1.10
Flour cans, hold 50 lbs, 90c

For cleaning

Dustless dust cloths—15c
Dustless utility brushes—25c
Dustless floor brushes—55c
Floor mops with handle, strong twine—21c 30c 40c
Brooms of extra quality, good size—29c
Dishmops with tinsel strands, clean thoroughly—18c
O-So-Ezy mops with handle and 1-2 pint of Cedar Oil—\$1
Ozone soap—8 for 25c
Kirkman's soap—10 for 35c
Wright's silver cream—21c
Amco stove polish—7c
Lux—8c
Climax wallpaper cleaner—5c
Cedar Oil polish—8c
Parowax—8c
Gold Dust—small—8 for 25c
Old Dutch Cleanser—8c
Liquid veneer—21c
Metal polish—10c

THE HOWLAND DRY GOODS CO.

In reviewing his present work with the Bridgeport Housing Co., predictions for the future housing of Bridgeport's host of workers were given, as appears elsewhere in the columns of The Farmer today.

During the banquet a musical and instrumental program was rendered in which the Stratford String orchestra participated. Robert Clarke rendered the Stein Song in a deep bass voice in choruses of which the entire assemblage participated. He also sang Cato's Advice and Invictus.

At the close of the banquet a large bouquet of flowers was sent to Mrs. Blanchard in the hotel.

Those seated at the banquet tables were: S. F. Cone, C. H. Graesser, E. B. Crocker, D. R. Stroud, C. H. Snyder, W. D. Grey, S. E. Winslow, W. C. Twombly, J. H. Albert, A. H. Perry, J. Taylor, F. G. Bevans, D. Smith.

Those participating at the dinner as shown by the guest cards:

W. Phalen, C. Ravinsky, R. B. Howell, Kilpatrick, B. Kelly, W. Newcomb, Benj. Cronin, A. Tomsey, J. Clabby, Geo. Schauman, J. Gelda, W. Perry, W. Newman, W. Stell, J. Darrin, A. Jakus, H. Horn, L. Gascone, A. Miller, S. Pierini, J. Mentron, J. Martin, J. A. Cunningham, S. Raslavsky, J. Meyer, W. Curry, Brown, W. Rutishauser, M. Kyde, N. Lee, G. Sugden, C. Shaw, C. Hardwick, Thomas Gies, J. Larson, R. Besick, J. Princip, C. Turner, C. H. Snyder, S. Weiss, S. E. Winslow, H. Finn, V. S. Whitney, H. Moore, R. Bevans, Fleming, M. Nally, Lucas, J. Alshewitz, M. Mechuda, J. Petersen, D. Smith, Sr., H. Belton, J. Saul, Jr., Hans Orm, V. Nelson, A. Spratt, F. Kelly, A. Latzke, W. Davis, H. Goodsell, M. Sullivan, A. Lesko, John Saul, Sr., W. Scott.

J. Anderson, A. Wagner, L. Elcker, F. McLaughlin, G. Gottchalk, W. Foster, W. Harper, Clark, J. H. Alberts, M. Krisl, Joseph Krisl, W. Weaver, S. F. Cone, J. F. O'Neill, W. R. Stroud, H. Sellick, A. G. Anderson, H. P. Goodwin, J. H. Lederer, J. P. Murck, F. R. Hart, C. H. Graesser, W. R. Clarke, Lorenzo Oviatt, N. P. Flynn, James Barrett, H. H. Getz, J. P. Iversen, A. Engelhardt, J. Seymour, F. G. Bevans, MacFarland, J. Caldwell, W. Hayden, F. H. Bevans, A. I. Perry, L. Kyde, Robert Barrett, H. Engels.

E. B. Crocker, E. P. Richards, Dodge, R. A. Knox, J. G. Lanning, E. Abrams, Otto Stegemann, P. S. Keefer, George Seibert, J. G. Steinmetz, W. C. Twombly, R. M. Nelson, H. Clayton, W. D. Grey, James Taylor, Harris Grey, H. Benway, Roberts.

OSBORNE QUILTS WARDEN'S POST AT N. Y. PRISON

Buffalo, Oct. 9.—Thomas Mott Osborne's resignation as warden of Sing Sing prison was announced by James M. Carter, state superintendent of prisons here today.

Campaign Banner Hung In East Side

Democratic enthusiasm reigns supreme in the Ninth district where the national and local campaign has al-

ready begun in earnest. "This morning saw thrown to the breeze an enormous banner bearing the portraits of Woodrow Wilson and Thomas R. Marshall at 434 Shelton street, where the Ninth District committee has established headquarters.

These headquarters will be open day and night until election day under the direction of chairman Edward Dunphy of the district committee. All persons in the district having the names of possible new voters are invited to participate in the meetings and the names of invalids and other persons unable to get to the polls without conveyance will be welcomed at this time.

Mrs. Bellewood Is Elected Secretary of Pediatric Society

Mrs. Minnie N. Bellewood, of this city, was elected secretary of the Connecticut Pediatric Society, at its quarterly meeting yesterday in the Hotel Stratfield. Mrs. Bellewood succeeds Max Mandell, of New Haven, who resigned recently. The society took action on the death of Dr. Parmelee, of Meriden, and officers were nominated for the coming year. Following the business meeting, at which Benjamin Oelener presided, a dinner was served. Those present included Drs. Oelener, Bellewood and Bellew of this city; Mandell, Noll, Smith and Williams, of New Haven; Hathaway, Sullivan, Reid, Dimmock and Flynn, of Hartford; Barnes of Bristol; McCullum, of Torrington; Lugg, of Derby; Lawrence, of South Norwalk; and Day and Dawson, of Meriden.